



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of : Confirmation No. 2829

Kazuhito KUROSE et al. : Attorney Docket No. 2005_0241A

Serial No. 10/527,217 : Group Art Unit 1742

Filed March 9, 2005 : Examiner Sikyin Ip

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Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
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Sir:

Responsive to the Office Action of March 28, 2006, the time for responding thereto being extended for one month in accordance with a Petition for Extension of Time submitted herewith, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

THE COMMISSIONER IS AUTHORIZED
TO CHARGE ANY DEFICIENCY IN THE
FEES FOR THIS PAPER TO DEPOSIT
ACCOUNT NO. 23-0975